STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

Eightieth Session

TUESDAY, February 16, 1971.

10:00 o'clock A.M.

The senate was called to order by the president of the senate.

The prayer was offered by the Reverend A. C. Schumacher, pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church of Madison, Wisconsin.

The senate remained standing and recited the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States.

The roll was called and the following senators answered to their names:

Senators Bidwell, Busby, Chilsen, Devitt, Dorman, Frank, Heinzen, Hollander, Johnson, Kendziorski, Keppler, Knowles, Knutson, Krueger, LaFave, Lorge, Lotto, Lourigan, McKenna, Martin, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Risser, Schuele, Soik, Steinhilber, Swan, Thompson and Whittow—30.

Absent—Senator Cirilli—1.
Absent with leave—Senator Roseleip—1.

AMENDMENTS OFFERED

Senate amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 53 by Senator Knutson.

Senate amendment 1 to Senate Bill 79 by Senator Knutson.

Senate amendment 1 to Senate Bill 88 by Senators LaFave and Devitt.

BILLS INTRODUCED

Senate Bill 183

Relating to the granting of priority for claims in probate and receivership for pension, welfare and vacation benefits.

By Senators Lourigan and Busby.

Read first time.

Referred to committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill 184

Relating to state pick-up of health insurance and retirement fund payments for university teachers.

By Senators Soik and McKenna.

Read first time.

Referred to joint Survey committee on Retirement Systems.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

The State of Wisconsin Department of State

February 16, 1971.

To The Honorable, The Senate

Gentlemen: I have the honor to transmit to you pursuant to section 13.67 (2), a list of registered lobbyists for the period beginning February 9, 1971, and ending February 16, 1971.

Yours very truly,

ROBERT C. ZIMMERMAN, Secretary of State.

Name, Address and Occupation of Lobbyist—Name and Address of Employer—Subject of Legislation—Date of Employment—Length of Time of Employment.

Ray M. Sheehy, 3410 N. Bartlett Ave., Milwaukee—Edward Callan, 4417 W. North Ave., Milwaukee—Real estate—February 9, 1971—Session.

William Carey, Fiscal Coordinator, 6014 N. 98th Court, Milwaukee—City of Milwaukee, City Hall, Room 801, Milwaukee—Municipal legislation—February 9, 1971—Session.

Douglas Haselow, Leg. Coordinator, 200 E. Wells St., Milwaukee—City of Milwaukee, City Hall, Room 801, Milwaukee—Municipal legislation—February 9, 1971—Session.

Thomas W. Bertz, Attorney, 330 E. Wilson St., Madison—Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors, 804 DeClark Street, Beaver Dam—Land surveying and land surveyors—February 9, 1971—Session.

John Visser, Lawyer, 707 North 11th St., Milwaukee—The Old Line Life Insurance Company of America, 707 North 11th St., Milwaukee—Insurance—February 9, 1971—Session.

William C. Dineen, Attorney, 710 North Plankinton Ave., Milwaukee—Village of River Hills, 7650 N. Pheasant Lane, Milwaukee—Municipal legislation—February 9, 1971—Session.

William C. Dineen, Attorney, 710 North Plankinton Ave., Milwaukee—Wisconsin Movers Association, % Wm. Kzmer, 204 W. Wisconsin St., Delavan—All legislation affecting interests of association—February 9, 1971—Session.

Donald J. Larsen, Dir. Public Works, 2621 E. Lexington Blvd., Eau Claire—Town of Washington, E. C. Cty., 2621 E. Lexington Blvd., Eau Claire—Town government—February 10, 1971—Session.

Dwayne Partain, Dist. Representative, 1015 N. Sixth St., Milwaukee—District 9 Area Voc., Tech. & Adult Education, 1015 N. Sixth St., Milwaukee—Vocational, technical and adult education, February 10, 1971—Session.

S. L. Horman, Insurance Consultant, Box 103 Poskin Waters, Almena—Time Insurance Company, 515 W. Wells Street, Milwaukee—Life and health insurance—February 10, 1971—Session.

Irving P. Mehigan, Attorney, 208 E. Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee—North Shore Suburbs of Milwaukee County, 801 E. Lexington Blvd., Milwaukee—Municipalities—February 10, 1971—Session.

A. J. Thelen, Executive Secretary, Suite 539, 25 W. Main St., Madison—Wisconsin Asphalt Pavement Assn., 25 W. Main St., Madison—Highways—February 10, 1971—Session.

Russell Olson, Bassett, Wisconsin—County Teachers Colleges; Dodge County Teachers College, Mayville—State financing, etc.—February 10, 1971—Session.

Nick Ballas, Maint. Elec., 5552 Lory Drive, Greendale—United Electrical Radio & Machine Works of America, 932 2nd Street, Milwaukee—Industrial workers—February 11, 1971—Session.

Carl E. Lauri, Lobbyist, 2202 Aspen Road, Madison—Wisconsin Chiropractic Assn., 139 W. Wilson St., Madison—Public Health—February 11, 1971—Session.

Stephen E. Gavin, Attorney, 25 W. Main St., Madison—Walter Ayers, P. O. Box 118, Lac Du Flambeau—Workmen's compensation—February 12, 1971—Session.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor Madison, 53702

February 12, 1971.

To the Honorable, the Senate

The following bill, originating in the Senate has been approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State.

Senate Bill 20, Chapter No. 3 Approved 2/12/71 Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK J. LUCEY, Governor.

MESSAGE FROM THE ASSEMBLY

By Thomas P. Fox, Chief Clerk.

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the assembly has passed and asks concurrence in:

Assembly Bill 16,

Assembly Bill 50,

Assembly Bill 51,

Assembly Bill 52,

Assembly Bill 53,

Assembly Bill 54,

Assembly Bill 57 and

Assembly Bill 140.

MESSAGE FROM THE ASSEMBLY CONSIDERED

Assembly Bill 16

Relating to property tax boards of review.

Read first time.

Referred to committee on Commerce, Labor, Taxation, Insurance and Banking.

Assembly Bill 50

Relating to expansion of the comparative negligence doctrine.

Read first time.

Referred to committee on Commerce, Labor, Taxation, Insurance and Banking.

Assembly Bill 51

Increasing maximum allowable claims and providing attorney's fees in small claims actions.

Read first time.

Referred to committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill 52

Relating to establishing procedural requirements for plaintiff offers of civil suit settlement.

Read first time.

Referred to committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill 53

Relating to requiring medical payments coverage on automobile liability insurance policies.

Read first time.

Referred to committee on Commerce, Labor, Taxation, Insurance and Banking.

Assembly Bill 54

Relating to uninsured motorist coverage.

Read first time.

Referred to committee on Commerce, Labor, Taxation, Insurance and Banking.

Assembly Bill 57

Relating to revamping methods of assigning substitute circuit and county judges.

Read first time.

Referred to committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill 140

Relating to referenda requirements applicable to borrowing by certain school districts.

Read first time.

To committee on Education.

CALENDAR OF THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11 Senate Bill 8

Relating to increasing the maximum interest rate payable on metropolitan sewerage district obligations.

Read a third time.

Senator Lorge moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

The question was: Shall the bill be indefinitely postponed?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 12; noes, 18; absent or not voting, 2; as follows:

Ayes—Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Dorman, Frank, Kendziorski, Knutson, Lorge, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Schuele and Swan—12.

Noes—Senators Busby, Devitt, Heinzen, Hollander, Johnson, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lotto, Lourigan, McKenna, Martin, Risser, Soik, Steinhilber, Thompson and Whittow—18.

Absent or not voting—Senators Cirilli and Roseleip—2. So the motion for indefinite postponement did not prevail.

Senate Bill 8

The question was: Shall the bill pass?

The ayes and noes were demanded and the vote was: ayes, 17; noes, 13; absent or not voting, 2; as follows:

Ayes—Senators Busby, Devitt, Frank, Heinzen, Hollander, Keppler, Knowles, Krueger, LaFave, Lotto, Lourigan, McKenna, Martin, Risser, Soik, Steinhilber and Whittow—17.

Noes—Senators Bidwell, Chilsen, Dorman, Johnson, Kendziorski, Knutson, Lorge, Murphy, Parys, Peloquin, Schuele, Swan and Thompson—13.

Absent or not voting—Senators Cirilli and Roseleip—2. So the bill passed.

By request of Senator Johnson, with unanimous consent, the bill was immediately messaged.

Senator Keppler moved that the senate stand adjourned.

11:05 A.M.

CHIEF CLERK'S REPORT

The Chief Clerk records:

Senate Bill 21 and

Senate Bill 22.

Correctly enrolled and presented to the Governor on Monday, February 15, 1971.

CHIEF CLERK'S CORRECTIONS

Suggested by Legislative Reference Bureau

Senate Bill 53

On page 6, line 3, before "each" insert "for". On page 6, line 18, insert a period after "46.21".

Senate Bill 137

On page 9, line 7, change "moniter" to "monitor".

Senate Bill 143

On page 2, line 3, change "if" to "it".

Senate Bill 155

On page 1, line 21, change "for" to "form".

On page 2, line 1, after the second "license" insert "numbers".